

City Charter, adopted 1913

Meetings of Council. Section 31.

At eight o'clock p.m., on the first Monday in January, following a regular municipal election, the council shall meet at the usual place for holding meetings, at which time the newly elected councilmen shall assume the duties of their office.

Thereafter the council shall meet at such times as may be prescribed by ordinance or resolution.

The mayor, the president of the council, or any five members thereof may call special meetings of the council upon at least twelve (12) hours' written notice to each member of the council, served personally on each member or left at this usual place of residence. Any such notice shall state the subjects to be considered at the meeting and no other subjects shall be there considered.

All meetings of the council or committees thereof shall be public and any citizen shall have access to the minutes and records thereof at all reasonable times.

City Charter, adopted 1924

Meetings of Council. Section 5.

At eight o'clock p.m. on the first Monday in January next following a regular municipal election, the Council shall meet at the usual place for holding such meetings, at which time the newly elected members shall assume the duties of office.

Thereafter the Council shall meet at such times as may be prescribed by ordinance or resolution, but not less frequently than once each week.

Special meetings of the Council shall be called by the City Clerk upon the written request of the Mayor, the City Manager, or five members. At least twelve hours written notice of special meetings shall be served personally on each member or left at his usual place of residence. Any such notice shall state the subject to be considered at the meeting and no other subject shall be there considered.

All meetings of the Council, and of committees thereof, shall be open to the public and *the Council shall provide by its rules that citizens shall have a reasonable opportunity to be heard at any such meeting in regard to any matter considered, or to be considered, thereat.* Any citizen shall have access to the minutes and records of the Council at all reasonable times.

City Charter, adopted 1931

Meetings of Council. Section 28.

At seven o'clock p.m., on the first Monday in January following a regular municipal election, the council shall meet at the usual place for holding meetings, at which time the newly-elected members of the council shall assume the duties of their offices.

Thereafter the council shall meet at such times as may be prescribed by ordinance or resolution.

The mayor, the president of the council, or any five members thereof may call special meetings of the council upon at least twelve (12) hours' written notice to each member of the council, served personally on each member or left at the usual place of residence of such member. Any such notice shall state the subjects to be considered at the meeting and no other subjects shall be there considered.

All meetings of the council or committee thereof shall be public and any citizen shall have access to the minutes and records thereof at all reasonable times.

City Charter, present

Meetings of Council. Section 28.

At seven o'clock p.m., on the first Monday in January following a regular Municipal election, the Council shall meet at the usual place for holding meetings, at which time the newly-elected members of the Council shall assume the duties of their offices; provided however, that if the first Monday in January following a regular Municipal election falls on a legal holiday, the Council shall meet at the usual place for holding meetings at seven o'clock p.m. the next business day following that holiday, at which time the newly-elected members of the Council shall assume the duties of their offices.

Thereafter the Council shall meet at times as may be prescribed by ordinance or resolution.

The Mayor, the President of the Council, or any five members of Council may call special meetings of the Council upon at least twelve (12) hours' written notice to each member of the Council, served personally on each member or left at the usual place of residence of the member. Any notice shall state the subjects to be considered at the meeting and no other subjects shall be considered.

All meetings of the Council or committees shall be public and any citizen shall have access to the minutes and records at all reasonable times.